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Dear Madam:

In response to the official action mailed December 10, 2008 Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.